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WIREWORK ROSE RING

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You will need:



Chain-nosed or jewellery pliers, wire cutters, coloured aluminium wire (1mm thick), a chunky marker pen (about the same thickness as your finger).

1. Cut a length of wire around 60cm long. Place the marker in the middle and bend the wire in half around it so that both ends meet at the same point.



2. Wrap the wire around the marker 3 times, making sure not to cross it over. The loops should sit next to each other.



3. Cross over the two wires so that they link together.



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4. Continually loop each wire around the link made in step 3, trying to keep the wires an even length while wrapping, leaving about 4cm at the end of each wire. You can move the wires up and down as you go, making undulations which look 'rose-like'.



5. Wrap the two ends around the loops which form the ring three times on either side.



6. Cut the ends and use the chain-nosed pliers to press them to a neat finish.



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